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SUBJECT: DEMARCHE TO SOUTH AFRICA ON NAMIBIA

REF: STATE 078517

1. AMBASSADOR AND DCM CALLED UPON FOREIGN MINISTER
FILY CISSOKO AND DIRECTOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS BENGALY
DABO TO DISCUSS JOINT DEMARCHE TO PRIME MINISTER
VORSTER ON NAMIBIA AND TO REVIEW U.S. POLICY TOWARD
SOUTHERN AFRICA, LEAVING AIDE MEMOIRE BASED ON
PARAS 6 AND 2 REFTEL. AMBASSADOR ALSO UNDERLINED US SUPPORT
FOR OWEN MISSION.

2. CISSOKO WAS PLEASED THAT U.S. AND WESTERN ALLIES
HAD TAKEN FORCEFUL ACTION AND SAID HE WOULD REPORT
FULLY TO SEKOU TOURE AND OTHER MEMBERS OF GOVERN-
MENT. HE WISHED EMPHASIZE THAT GOG SUPPORTED NON-
DISCRIMINATORY MULTI-RACIAL REGIMES IN SOUTHERN
AFRICA. GUINEA HAD NEVER CALLED FOR EXPULSION OR
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SUPPRESSION OF WHITE POPULATIONS. CISSOKO SAID NO
NATION UNDERSTOOD SIGNIFICANCE OF LIBERTY MORE DEEPLY
THAN U.S. HE WISHED REMIND USG THAT GUINEAN CONSTI-
TUTION STATED GUINEA WOULD NOT BE TRULY FREE UNTIL ALL
OF AFRICA WAS FREE. HE APPLAUDED WESTERN STANCE AND
NOTED THAT GOVERNMENTS MIGHT FORGET BUT PEOPLES WOULD
ALWAYS BE GRATEFUL TO THOSE WHO IN THE END HAD HELPED

THEM TO OBTAIN THEIR FREEDOM.

3. COMMENT: THIS WAS MOST CORDIAL MEETING AMBASSADOR HAS HAD
WITH FONMIN, DEMONSTRATING INFLUENCE OF U.S. POLICY TOWARD
SOUTHERN AFRICA ON BILATERAL RELATIONS GENERALLY.
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